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THE MASS MEETING

EDITORIAL

Tuesday night the Hamlin School Board called a mass meeting of taxpayers at the Grammar School. The purpose was indicated but there were not many there.

Several excuses may be advanced for the lack of numbers present. First, it looked much like a big storm was coming down from the northwest, and this really broke up the meeting for the few who did come.

It is not the purpose of this editorial to lay bare all the facts that confront this community in financing school affairs, or to suggest any solution of the problem at this time.

Facts and figures were in the order at the Grammar School Tuesday night, and if our memory is correct, it was shown that this Hamlin School District has outstanding \$6,000 of the first bond issue Hamlin school district issued, about 1907, also \$16,000 of the \$20,000 issued in 1922, and \$115,000 of the issue of 1929. You know that bonds are issued only against real estate, and property of this kind is as much under mortgage as if it were an animal or a piece of machinery. Bonds must be repaid with interest, and the paying must be done by taxes on property.

If a unit of government does not levy and collect enough taxes, the bond holders have recourse to law, and can throw a district into the hands of a receiver who is authorized to levy and collect enough taxes to satisfy the bonds and pay the receiver his salary for administration. He cares nothing about your having a week of school or not. The last and final step would be to take all the property. This all sounds scary.

Several steps are left for boards to follow:

FIRST, levy an amount of tax, whether it be just and fair or not, to meet the requirements, based upon the rate allowed by law. The present valuations amount to about \$1,825,000.

SECOND, by letting valuations be as they are and ask the taxpayers to vote a higher rate. (Present rate under the law is \$1.00 on each \$100 valuation). Valuations, like boards, change with the boards. Rates usually have a maximum and might be varied.

THIRD, eliminate some departments and extras here and there, narrow the field of activity of school work and thus cut back to the normal valuations under the present rate.

FOURTH, keep levying taxes as usual and force payments under any and all circumstances, dry or wet, good or bad, able or unable. That sounds hard too. The point is that if one pays, all should pay.

The future of the financial status of the Hamlin school district depends upon several factors. The whole field of action needs to be surveyed and figured out. Maybe

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THROCKMORTON IS BEATEN BY HAMLIN

Taking advantage of breaks early in the game, Throckmorton was leading the Pied Pipers 13 to 0 at the half in Pipers Field last Friday night. The first touchdown, followed by extra point, came after a Hamlin fumble near the Throckmorton goal line in the second quarter. Big Pete Stout carried the ball across. The second touchdown followed a few minutes later.

In the first quarter, Hamlin's 11 worked the ball almost to the goal line, where a pass across the line in the open was dropped, and the ball lost on downs. Another march toward a touchdown was made just before the second quarter ended.

The second half opened with an inspired Piper team and six points were soon credited to them. In the last quarter two more touchdowns with extra points were made, while the Throckmorton Greyhounds were held completely in check, failing to make one first down for the last half.

Bobby Barrow, captain and guard for Hamlin, furnished Hamlin's biggest thrill of the game when he snatched a Throckmorton pass and raced 40 yards across the goal line. The Witt brothers distinguished themselves throughout the game, as did Nolan Haines, who did most of the passing for Hamlin, and also turned some yard gaining runs.

SUMMARIES

First Downs—Hamlin, 14; Throckmorton, 2.

Yards Gained From Scrimmage—Hamlin, 258; Throckmorton, 81.

Passes Completed—Hamlin, 4 out of 16 for 53 yards; 2 intercepted; Throckmorton, 3 out of 19 for 54 yards; 6 intercepted.

Penalties—Hamlin 3 for 15 yards; Throckmorton, 2 for 10 yards.

Officials—Johnny Brookshire, J. C. Shockley, and Elmo Cure.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship Service, 10:50.
Children and Young People meet at 6:45 P. M.

Evening services dismissed for revival services at High school auditorium.

Dr. C. A. Bickley, District Supt., will preach Sunday morning. Mr. Roth will render the special musical number accompanied by Mr. Johnston.

Bro. Bickley will conduct the 4th Q. C. conference Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

We welcome visitors.

Methodists are urged by the pastor to attend and co-operate in the city-wide revival now in progress. Our church and our town need a revival and this is our opportunity to have one. God is to hold us responsible for our carelessness and Godlessness and we will have to suffer the penalty of God's wrath if we give Him the cold shoulder.

Get into the revival with your presence, prayers and efforts before your sons and daughters are lost and your town damned.

ATTEND THE REVIVAL

Tuesday another bunch of Jones County boys were sent into the army to Ft. Bliss. At least two of the six were from Hamlin. Milton A. Sanford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dode Sanford and Alfred A. Fuller and perhaps one other. The list included: Alfred Vernon Johnson, Alvin F. Conner, Hugh S. Tarleton, Ernest H. Early and Fuller and Sanford.

MEN, you have lucky days coming. Buy razor blades, and shaving creams, lotions, tooth pastes, and 250 other bargains at 1c each when you buy one or more of the same items at a regular price.

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All Night Rains Stop Cotton Gathering

Hamlin gins caught up with the farmers by ginning till after midnight Tuesday night, following a downpour starting just after dark.

Last Sunday was just another day for most of the gins. Most of them in this part of the county worked all day and caught up by running into the night. In some fields pickers were at it Sunday afternoon.

But the rush was cooled Tuesday afternoon and night. All night there was a steady rain, quite a bit of hail, and no doubt that lots of damage was done to the white fields. Had the rains not come this week would have been the banner ginning week of the season.

Just what continued rains now mean is hard to figure out. Too wet for wheat sowing, and too wet for feed gathering, and cotton will suffer damage from blow and wet if storms keep up.

By the time the rain stopped Hamlin gins Tuesday night, perhaps nearly 5,000 bales had been ginned, making a headway for a bigger number ginned here in several years.

Jones county, up to October 1, had ginned 12,384 bales compared to 10,324 on the same date in 1940.

Former Hamlin Man Killed In California

City-Wide Revival In Progress at High School

introduce B. B. Crumm. He is known far and wide.

This is my first experience with these men. I had heard Bro. Crumm preach twice before he came to Hamlin, and I was determined to judge this meeting by what I saw and heard and not by what I heard others say. Judging by what the preaching and singing we have had thus far, I want to make this statement: If it is worthwhile that the gospel of Christ be presented with all its glory in a way that will hold the attention of its hearers, it is worthwhile to have this meeting.

If it is worthwhile for gospel songs to be sung the best possible, this revival should be supported. Hamlin doesn't have an opportunity to have such men very often—men whose lives have been given to evangelistic work. I feel, personally, that we will be held responsible for our attitude toward this meeting. I am going to do my best to make the most of the opportunities we have during these days.

H. E. East, Pastor
Baptist Church

BAPTIST CHURCH

MR. CLARENCE JOHNSTON

is the pianist, and a better one we have never heard.



MR. ELTON M. ROTH

is the song leader. He is a composer, the director of a famous Acapella Choir, and one of the most famous evangelistic singers of this generation. It is not necessary to

TO THE PUBLIC

We are glad to advise that Herbert Tarver, who comes well recommended to us, is moving to Hamlin as one of our representatives.

We feel that we can assure you that whatever he tells you regarding our Insurance, that we will stand behind, as we feel he is reliable.

To our Policy Holders, we assure you that any assistance you may be to him, will be appreciated by him.

We will also have two other representatives who may be in here, T. B. Lawrence, of Anson, and John B. Pruitt, of Abilene, who formerly worked for an Abilene Company for a number of years.

Any courtesies shown any of these will be appreciated, with the further assurance that we do not feel that you can buy better Insurance than they can write you with us.

IDEAL SECURITY LIFE INS. CO.
By W. H. Littlefield, Sec'y.-Treas.

(51-21)

William T. Brown, a soldier boy from Ft. Sam Houston was here Sunday for a visit with home folks. William takes the Herald and is keeping up with the Hamlin folks pretty well.

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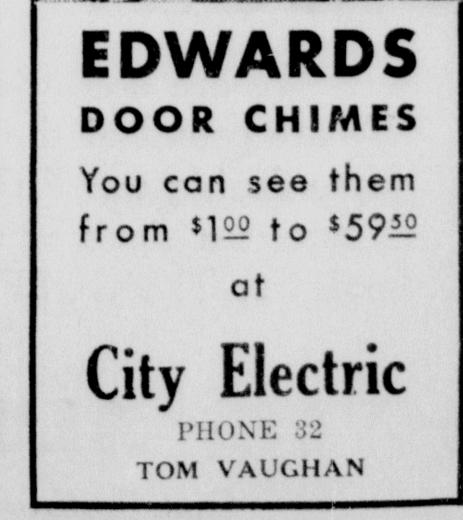
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TOM VAUGHAN

Notice

From October 26th to October 30th, I shall be out of my office, attending The American Dental Association in Houston.

DR. JOE McCRARY

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THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

THAT

So Easily Fooled—

Some days ago, some may remember, a fellow with a loud speaker parked himself on a prominent corner and proceeded to blare out traffic orders, complimenting this one and condemning that one, for his car actions, equipment of lights, etc. Well, some really thought that fellow was an official and became very disturbed. Some knew it was an advertising grafter and had no more right to the streets to bawl out people for the way they drove than some Hamlin individual. This same outfit went on their way over to Stamford. And here's a clipping taken out of the Abilene Reporter-News, Oct. 9th, on the subject:

"General warning against persons posing as state highway officials for the purpose of selling automobile accessories or similar items has been issued by Harry S. Phillips, highway department traffic engineer, through S. J. Treadaway, district engineer.

"The warning is outgrowth of information sent the highway commission by G. L. Inglish, Stamford publisher, relating to activities of a group of men in Stamford during September.

"In the letter, copy of which was forwarded to Treadaway, Inglish reported a group of men came into Stamford, announced that they were authorities, and secured permission from the chief of police to direct traffic and tell the people how to drive.

"While doing so, they would direct motorists to places where they could buy automobile accessories, and also phoned residents of the town for donations, Inglish said.

"Phillips advised Inglish that no such organization existed in the state highway department, and he felt sure that the department of public safety through its highway patrol does not operate in such a manner.

"He added that he had referred the letter to Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the department of public safety, and was sure that organizations would be glad to lend its efforts to stop such practices."

The facts were the men had a sign saying "Sponsored by National Safety Council" or something on that order—but most drivers took the voice as one of authority. You know only a few read and understand.

Not many car drivers would take the trouble to turn around and in-

vestigate the commanding voice over a loud speaker, heard ten blocks away. To say the least of it, it was confusing and misleading—there is too much of the real to put up with fakes.

—T & T—

Now About The Flag—

Folks sometimes do not give vent to their feelings. Why not? For example the Ferguson Theatre inserts into its programs our National Anthem, and the entire audience is requested to sing it with the screen sound. You know if it were not for some of the school kids it would seem that not a soul would even stand. Maybe it is out of place to stand when that beautiful stirring Star Spangled Banner is thus played, but it would seem that it is proper to honor the sentiment and the flag by standing and singing with all the vigor and spirit that one heart of love for a free country can well up in one's body.

—Why smother one's emotions? What makes this country America is that spontaneous something that wells up into our hearts of gratitude, and brings forth a stirring song of liberty.

Now your singing, like ours, may be squeaky, but if it is the best you've got, use it with the feeling that ought to be in your heart in these days of pending dangers. Or do you have such a feeling? How does the beautiful waving flag stir your emotions? Do you have a notion to clap your hands, let out a yell, and throw back your shoulders with pride? Then let go next time with your song and applause and tell your seat neighbor that you've got that something in you that must be expressed. Are you dead, without emotions, then just sit and sit and quench what little you have and finally all of that "something" will die within you.

Yep, buddy, it's your actions that count, and one way to show how you feel is to respond to your flag of red white and blue, on occasions when a program includes our national anthem. Sing it, sing it and awaken your soul to a realization that you reside in the greatest nation of all the earth. ,

—T & T—

Now Japan—

The Japanese are like yellow jackets, about the time they think Russia is going down under the hellish heel of Hunnish Hitler, they begin to buzz against the United States. This Thursday afternoon, reports would lead one to believe it is only a few more days till Japan will either declare war on Russia and maybe the United States, or both.

Hitler is doing what most everyone thought he could do or would do if he hurled his mighty machines against Russia or even any nation that he can get to . . . just drive over and take what he wants at whatever cost in men it may require.

Japan has been pounding down populous Chinese cities for four years, just taking for the love of

territory.

Now Japan gives signs that it is a good time to jump on the back of her old enemy, Russia, while Hitler is stabbing Russia's front door. Should she do this back-stabbing, clearly it would mean that war comes nearer the western door of the United States. But this is a part of the planned scheme of Germany, Italy and Japan. All are guilty of the same crimes. With a couple of million Japanese soldiers in Russia's Siberia, 5,000 miles east of Moscow, and Germany's millions on the European side, who is so blind as not to see the outcome? What will free nations feel like after the bloody hands of Germany meets with the gory arms of Japan? By then only two great nations would be left with maybe enough strength to withstand their combined military and naval power.

Yes, the United States CAN keep out of this war, but in doing so, not a single great people in the world would have any respect for this country. The freedom of life among the family of nations would be lost. Again it is clear the nearer Germany comes to conquering Russia, the closer will Japan come to active war with Russia and maybe the United States. This nation has no time to tolerate strikes and disloyalty. We can't live on the fence. We are either for the right or for the wrong. It was our own political bickering in 1919 that prepared the world for the carnage of 1941—it will require our fullest strength and sacrifice to bring decency once again to the world. The murderer nations must be disarmed and kept that way by force of arms and navies in the hands of America and England.

—T & T—

Hamlin Soldiers Meet

All Army Demands

Ft. Warren, Wyo.
October 9, 1941Mr. Bowen Pope,
Editor Hamlin Herald.
Dear Sir:

After seven months I am finally dropping you the line I promised.

Our company is rapidly filling up and the men are starting their first week of training. The trains are rolling in every day, and the four regiments (three white and one colored) here will soon be up to full strength.

The Post here is a replacement center for the Quartermaster Corps of the Army. This group will be the third to get their (13) thirteen weeks of basic military and basic quartermaster's training, after which they will be sent to all parts of the United States and Alaska to build up the quartermaster units.

This week the men are being trained in physical exercise and close order drill (marching). These are the first things taught, and they go on as long as you remain in the army. The new men must also learn to make a bed, take care of their clothes, and keep themselves clean.

We maintain an armed "interior guard" here at all times, to guard certain buildings such as mess halls, shops, etc. This duty is done by the men themselves, and because there are certain rules and regulations connected with guard duty this is also taught the first week, so as to give every soldier a chance to "walk" guard.

The other subject taken up in the first week is military courtesy and discipline—whom to salute, when, where, why and how. Also

how to address an officer and how to tell the different officers and the respect due to Commissioned officers and Non-commissioned officers. They also read the "Articles of War" (which is the soldiers' law) and show you just where you stand if you are insubordinate, or if you get out of hand.

And a soldier is being made. He must learn a lot and learn it fast, because now they are receiving a regular (3) three years training in one year. But it isn't bad. I did it, and if I can do it, I am sure the new boys can too.

Sincerely,

Sgt. John Howard, Jr.

Company D 3rd Reg. QMRC

Please send my paper to this address. I don't want to miss it, because it sure helps me to keep up with Hamlin and Hamlin people.

NOTE:—The Herald appreciates "soldier boys" letters. John V. is the type, making good.

Another Letter

Editor of The Herald:

Here I am in sunny California, down on the Pacific Coast. It looks like the sun sets in the ocean.

I sure miss every body in Hamlin you have been sworn in. But that is the Hamlin foot ball team. Every Friday night I think about it and wish I was there.

I will attempt to try and tell a little about a soldier's life. The first thing you have to do is to be examined. If you pass the exam, you are then sworn in to the army. It will kind of thrill you to know you have been sworn in. But that is just the beginning.

The army wants strong and healthy boys so they try and keep you that way. You have to be vaccinated for several diseases and made stay in camp for awhile. The Articles of War are read to you and several full movies on how to be a good soldier are shown to you. Then you start out on how to be a good soldier and when they get through you are a good soldier.

The first thing to learn is to get up early and make up your bed in the army way, and it has to be made right, or you make it up again. Then we get ready for mess which is the word for breakfast or lunch, etc. The army wants things kept clean and it is a soldier's job to keep things clean. Every soldier gets his turn at different jobs, such as K. P. (kitchen police), table waiting, police recreation hall, etc. Police means clean. The soldiers' school is very important. You learn how to stand at attention, at rest, face right, and so on.

We start today on thirteen weeks of training and when that time is up I hope to know a lot about being a soldier.

I sure enjoyed my trip from El Paso to Camp Callan, Calif. We went through three states, New Mexico, Arizona and California. Saw the real image of an Indian's head on top of a hill in Arizona and sure saw lots of desert looking places. In California we rode through 10,000 acres of grapes and more fruit trees than I ever saw.

When we got to Los Angeles there was an hour and half lay over so we went sight seeing. Went through China Town, which was very interesting. There were several kinds of old Chinaware and the streets were built to look like China. After that we went up to the top of a 22 story building and saw Los Angeles from above.

I would like to hear from my friends in Hamlin because it sure is lonesome among people you don't know.

With best wishes to Hamlin and its neighbors,

Pvt. Oliver T. Butler

P. S.—Mr. Pope, I would like for you to send me the Herald which I subscribed for before I left Hamlin.

Brty. B., 52nd B. N.

Camp Callan,

San Diego, California.

Mrs. Duffield Smith and son Wade, of Dallas, are guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle.

Mr. and Mrs. Denman Morgan, of Lubbock, were here this week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Their little daughter, Geraldine, has been here for a week visiting with her grandparents.

EXTRA! EXTRA! There are big bargains for everyone at your local Rexall Store during the Rexall ORIGINAL One Cent Sale. Two for the price of one, plus only 1c. 250 bargains to choose from.

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Pancake Flour	9c	Syrup — pt	14c

Clover Farm—MOIST	9c	Clover Farm—12 OZ.	
Cocoanut 4 oz can	9c	Chili Sauce	19c

MILK	23c	Clover Farm—3 LARGE or
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Oats 3 lb box	19c	Clover Farm—SALAD	

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Coffee — 1 lb	19c	Bab-O 2 for	

C. F.—LAUNDRY	19c	WESSON
Solution — qt	19c	Oil — pint

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Soap 3 for	19c	Juice 2 for

Needmore Whole		Clover Farm—No. 2
Peaches No. 2	18c	Corn 2 for

Glendale—NO. 2	25c	Glendale
Peas 2 cans for	25c	Spinach 2 for

Clover Farm—SLICED	25c	New Crop Texas—200 size
9 oz flat, 3 for	25c	Oranges doz

Clover Farm—2 for	19c	Clover Farm—No. 2
Bananas — lb	5c	Kraut 2 for

Casa Grande—300 size	25c	Choice Beef
Tamales 2 for	25c	Roast — lb

Dry Salt	17c	Charles Mullins
Bacon — lb	17c	came up from

Corporal Robert Bryant of Camp Barkeley		Camp Bowie this week for a short
Barkley is spending his ten day		visit with old Hamlin friends.
furlough with his wife and her parents,		Charles was formerly with the Hamlin
O. M. Stice and family.		Compress, and while here, he said

Nell Gilbreath, age 10 years,		he was up here trying to forget the
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath,		swamps of the war games in Louisiana.

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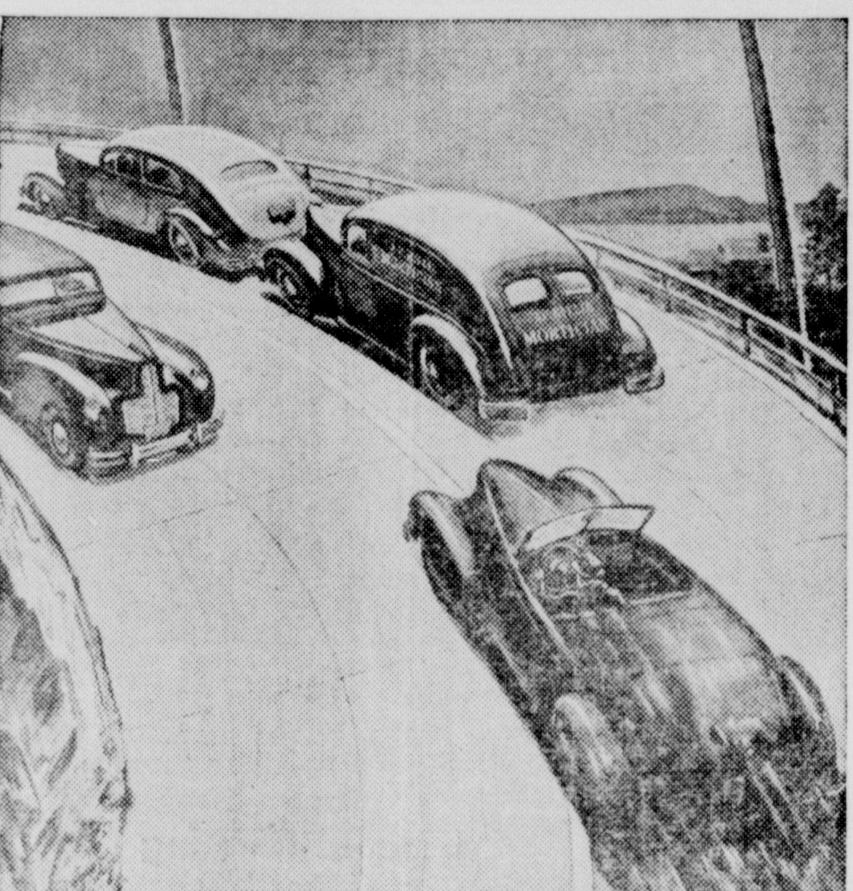
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Overtaking the Undertaker



There is another name for the little game of repeatedly flouting the speed laws. It might be called "overtaking the undertaker." Certainly there is ample statistical evidence that habitual players in this lottery lose everything.

Of the 35,000 persons killed in traffic accidents last year, 24,000 met death through some reckless or illegal action on the part of a driver, according to The Travelers' analysis of 1940's accidents which has just been released. There are a dozen such illegal ac-

tions mentioned but standing out boldly at the top of the list and coming close to being equal to all the others added together is the one item: "Exceeding the speed limit." No less than 9,600 speeding drivers caught up with the undertaker in 1940, and almost a quarter of a million others caught up with an ambulance.

As long as the records have been kept, the analysis shows, exceeding the speed limit has led the list as the major cause of traffic accidents in the U. S.

SCHOOL NEWS --

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morton's right end, T. Redwine, and then thundered through the line for 20 more yards and the first touchdown. Recovering a Piper fumble on the 9 the Greyhounds scored in just one play, Stout going over. The conversion attempt failed. All of Throckmorton's scores came in the second quarter.

Nolan Haines, Hamlin's 160 lb. half back ran 30 yards for Hamlin's first 6 points after receiving a tally early in the third quarter. The Pipers' conversion attempt failed. The Pipers came back with a determined spirit as Dean Witt, 125 pound quarter back star, went over center for a second touchdown, leaving the score 12 to 13, but the Pipers' second conversion attempt paid off a point as Dean Witt passed to Gene Witt, his husky twin brother, to tie up the score 13 to 13.

The climax came in the fading moments of the game as Bobby

Barrow, Hamlin's big sensational guard, intercepted one of Stout's passes and ran it back 35 yards for the Pipers' third touchdown. Witt passed to Hudson for the extra point. The Pipers made 14 first downs to two for the Greyhounds.

Stout stood out both offensively and defensively for Throckmorton. Hamlin's whole team starred, although Barrow stood out for defense and the Witt brothers for offense. Dean and Gean are a strapping pair and still have another year of eligibility and improve enormously with each game. District 10A fans are keeping their eyes peeled for these two young gentlemen because they will be two stars on the Pipers' winning team of both '41 and '42.

Junior Schubert Club

Honors New Members

With Buffet Supper

October 11, 1941, the Junior Schubert Club honored their new members with a buffet supper at the home of Miss Edwina Gilbert with Mrs. Jack Russell as co-sponsor. The new members are: Jack Harden, Frances Gardner, Joan McCrary, Jimmie Dee George, Margaret Sellers, Joe Ball, Virginia Hampton, Keith Jobe, and Jeannie Johnston. Due to the circumstances, some of the new members were unable to attend. Others present were Mr. Milton Fletcher, Phala Davis, Selma Hassen, Craigelene Elmore, Jimmie Clements, Koleta Clements; Bobbie Wilson, Hortense Phenix, Joande Culbertson, Billie Faye Rountree, and Bettye Lou York.

The circus theme was carried out in the arrangements. Multi-colored balloons and Chinese lilies decorated the rooms. The table was centered with a typical circus ring including a large elephant, sawdust, and a team of dogs. A circus band of dolls was on the far corner of the table. Red tapers burned in two tall candle holders. Other circus rings included a huge plate of potato salad centered around a prancing horse in Fostoria. Delicious hot dogs, red beans, pickles, doughnuts and red lemonade were served on fiesta plates, adding more color to the occasion.

Foot Ball Exposition Held at Pipers' Field

For the benefit of the fans of Hamlin Pied Pipers, the school sponsored a foot ball exposition Tuesday night, Oct. 7. First the players and the coaches were introduced. Then Coach Smith explained the plays and the signals given by the referees. The foot ball boys demonstrated several plays in slow motion as coach explained each. The exposition ended with a short scrimmage between the varsity and the ragnots.

This exposition was facilitated by the new press box and sound equipment.

Joint P.T. A. Reception Held

Last Thursday night in the High School auditorium at 8 o'clock the P.T. A sponsored a meeting for the purpose of getting the faculty and parents of the school children acquainted. Both grade school and high school P.T. A organizations were included in the reception.

The mistress of ceremonies was Mrs. Joe McCrary, who conducted a very interesting program. The program opened with the singing of America, directed by Mr. Clyde Smith. A clarinet ensemble, made up of Mr. Clyde Smith, Ellis Benham, Thedford Copeland, and Jimmie Clements rendered "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia." Miss Edwin Gilbert played a negro dance, "The Crapshooters." The program was climaxed by a talk on "The Meaning of P.T. A." by Mr. Bennett. Immediately following the speech, he introduced the completed faculty to the parents.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served in the Home Economics Department, where Mrs. Bennett poured punch from a maroon punch bowl concluded the reception.

F. F. A. Booth At The Fair

At the annual fair at Abilene the Hamlin Chapter of the FFA had an interesting booth, built in the theme "Living At Home". The booth bore the FFA emblem at the. The shelves contained canned fruits, pickles, peppers, meat, and other varieties of food that could be produced at home.

The Hamlin Chapter won the blue ribbon and ten dollars in cash. About 20 other Texas chapters competed in the contest.

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Mrs. L. H. McBride Entertains Club

Mrs. L. H. McBride entertained the Stitch and Chatter club Thursday in her home.

The club decided on a new project which is sewing and knitting for the Red Cross.

Members present were Mmes. H. A. Johnston, Ray Jones, G. P. Odom, J. V. Harrell, J. S. Dickey, Roy Gilbreath, Eddie Jay, B. B. Campbell, Z. T. Wilson, Jack Miles, D. F. Park and Pat Marlowe.

—Reporter

Garden Club Met For Program

The Garden Club met Friday morning, Oct. 10. Mrs. W. A. Albritton opened the meeting with a prayer.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Q. Martin, second vice-president, asked Mrs. Albritton to preside during the business session.

The club voted to change the date of meeting from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. during the winter months. Club members are urged to keep this in mind. Meetings will be held the second Friday in each month unless otherwise notified. Remember the next meeting will be Nov. 14th.

Mrs. Tate May, program chairman, directed the program.

Mrs. J. E. Moody talked on Garde Club in Defense. This talk was an inspiration to every member.

Mrs. May gave some helpful suggestions on the planting of bulbs and preserving cut flowers.

Mrs. G. R. Bennett concluded the program by reading the beautiful poem, End of Summer, by Edna St. Vincent Millay.

Mrs. R. H. McCurdy, chairman of the exchange committee, asked the members to bring some kind of bulbs to the next meeting. The idea is to have a grab bag.

The new officers for the year are as follows:

President, Mrs. T. E. Harden. 1st vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Ezell.

2nd vice-president, Mrs. Q. Martin. Recording Sec'y., Mrs. Arlie Castle.

Corresponding Sec'y., Mrs. J. E. Moody.

Treasurer, Mrs. R. D. Moore. Reporter, Mrs. Fred Carpenter. Parliamentarian, Mrs. W. A. Albritton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreath Entertained Club

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath entertained the Hoot Owl Club in their home Thursday evening.

Colorful autumn flowers decorated the rooms where games of bridge were played. High scores were made by Mrs. Bill Rountree and Grogan Turner.

Following the games a salad plate with cake and tea was served to Messrs. and Mmes. R. Y. Barrow, Bill Rountree, Grogan Turner, Clinton Barrow, L. H. McBride and the host and hostess.

Carlton Women Quilt For British Relief

Though the women of the Carlton community have been very busy with raising chickens, canning and regular home duties, they have taken off time to do some work for British Relief. They have been meeting every Wednesday afternoon at the school house to work, and have quilted seven quilts. They are piecing some more quilt tops which they plan to quilt soon. Also they have done some other sewing for this cause. Women who have worked are:

Mmes. J. H. Morton, Arthur Carlton, Fleet Poe, Emerson, Willie Chambers, Louise Higgins, Burne Carlton, Marvin Carlton, L. E. Fielder, Howard Jenkins, M. L. Shipp, Bill Kelley, Floyd Harmon, and S. E. Brooks.

Hitson 4-H Club

On October 9th, the Hitson 4-H club met with Miss Mamie Carol Smith, the Home Demonstration Agent in the room of Mrs. Lester Hollis, sponsor of the club. Miss Smith gave a talk and illustration on how to keep our winter vegetables fresh which proved very interesting. In her illustrations, she constructed a small mound, showing the club girls the exact way to keep winter vegetables fresh.

Rita Branscum gave an interesting talk on how much she had learned about canning during the summer months.

A most interesting talk on National Defense was rendered on the program by Mary Sue McLemore.

School News

(Continued From Preceding Page)

He's A Real Piper—

BROWN

That handsome guy with a winning smile and dimples is Lofton Brown, co-captain of the football team. Lofton is a guard of the hard-hitting Hamlin line and a good one, too, although Coach does have little trouble keeping him away from the girls.

His favorite actor is Fred MacMurry; actress, Joan Blondelle. Naturally, his favorite sport is football. It seems that his favorite study is the fairer sex, especially blondes, with an occasional brunette thrown in for good measure. (We wonder what his teachers will think about his favorite "study"?). He spends his time trying to do just one thing without Coach catching him. He also dislikes so much competition with his blondes—(or blonde?)

When we asked him about his plans for the future he said he just wanted to have a good time, but he did admit his greatest ambition is aviation.

Hamlin High salutes you, Lofton, as a real Piper.

Hallowe'en Theme Used For Club Party

A Hallowe'en theme was carried out in all party appointments Friday afternoon when Mrs. O. G. Harvey entertained the Optimists club. Cosmos and other fall flowers were used as decorations for rooms in which guests were entertained.

Mrs. Ray Maberry and Mrs. F. E. Barnes tied for high score in 42.

Attractive refreshments were served to Mmes. G. P. Odom, Hal Rasor, L. P. Maberry, Pat Marlowe, W. H. Dean, H. O. McCray, Ray Maberry, F. E. Barnes, A. T. Tipton, Gerry Richardson, V. T. Stringer and the hostess.

Former Hamlin Girl Weds Palestine Man

Miss Ruth Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morgan, formerly of Hamlin, and Mr. Thomas Pryor of Palestine, were married Oct. 11th, at 7:30 P. M. at the home of the bride's parents, 2013 Alston Ave., Fort Worth, Texas.

The bride is a graduate of the Hamlin High school, and the Lubbock Sanitarium School of Nursing. She now holds the position as assistant Surgical Supervisor at the Harris Memorial Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth.

The groom, who is stationed at Camp Bowie in Brownwood, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pryor, pioneer residents of Palestine.

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prospect? What would the Austin swain think?

We wonder if Jimmie Dee George and Richard have made up again? (Stress on the again).

Inez Joiner seems to be doing o. k. Big new cars and a medium dark handsome boy would make anyone's heart skip a beat.

Have you ever spent a quiet evening with La Nell Carlton? If you have please tell us!

Clifford Carr and Marie Huling have patched up their quarrel again.

Courtney Ann Magee is really glad the boys are coming back to Camp Bowie. We wonder if she has a romance down there. Oh, I forgot Courtney, it's your brother, isn't it? But that wasn't her brother here the other day!

Bettye Lou York and Buck Joiner seem to have a sophomore romance cooking!

Jonell Newberry likes a boy by the name of Jack. It couldn't be Jack Townley, could it?

What certain red headed boy follows Betty Abbott around all the time? You guess, we can't.

Mary Dena Huling was disappointed when she didn't get a letter from a certain boy named Jack.

(From Sweetwater). Tell us who it is, please.

Isn't Faye ducky? Ask Donald!

Our head yell leader seems to have become a Romeo among the youthful ladies of H. H. S. In fact, he is frequently seen holding up traffic in the halls by indulging in conversation with several at one time.

When a Child Needs a Laxative!

Your child should like this tasty liquid laxative and you should like the gentle way it usually wakes up a youngster's lazy intestines when given by the simple directions.

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Dr. L. P. McCrary

EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT
—SPECIALIST—

Will be at the Royal Courts on the Haskell Highway 5 blocks North Baptist Church

In Stamford
EVERY WEDNESDAY
Till Further Notice

Rev. N. A. McMillan, pastor of the Assembly of God, was called to Overton two weeks ago by the illness of his aged mother, 84, who was buried Friday, Oct. 3rd.

Tailored "Cords"



Among the smartest of the new back to school cottonts, is this two-piece cotton corduroy ensemble. The tailored jacket and skirt with front kick-pleat are good for classroom and campus wear. A white tailored cotton shirt is worn under the jacket.



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POT SHOTS FROM McCaulley

BY GEO. DARDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henderson have moved back to McCaulley after being away for several months.

Jack Johnson has been on the sick list for a week, but is back at his old job at Texas Cement and Plaster Co.

We understand that a good well was brought in on the farm of Mr. A. M. Eivens the first part of the week, and already a new location has been made on the Eivens farm.

The senior club girls of McCaulley gave a program over Radio station K. R. B. C. last Monday. The following girls on the program were Velma Lou Boyd, Jay Henson, Levena and LeVerne Maberry and Bess Darden.

The McCaulley six man football team lost their first time Friday to Sylvester. Score 19 to 0.

Working night and day around a cotton gin you see people that you haven't seen for months. Some of the men doing business in McCaulley this week were Tarleton Willingham, Frank Allen, J. Ubben, W. S. Peacock, Ben Maberry, O. R. Burnham, W. D. Berry, J. N. Wishert, E. L. Johnson, R. J. Robertson, Homer Roberson, and dozens of others whom we might mention if we weren't too sleepy to remember.

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Mrs. Jim Jackson went to the Dallas Fair this week. Mrs. Jackson was on the committee to prepare the Fisher county booth at the Fair.

Mrs. Ben Maberry is visiting for a few days in Houston with her son Johnnie James who is employed on a national defense project there.

A cold wave and plenty of rain hit McCaulley Tuesday night and bale after bale of cotton on the gin yards were drenched. We are all hoping for the sun to shine once again.

Extra men on the gin crews were hired by the dozens this week and even the county commissioner loaned the two McCaulley gins county employees until the rush is over.

Mrs. O. R. Burnham and daughter Christine are driving a brand new auto this week.

The Melvin Courtneys had quite a few visitors the past week end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carroll and son Leland Carroll; Clyde Knouse and Mrs. Minnie Dyer. Mrs. Dyer is the mother and Mrs. Charles Courtney who has recently moved to Hawley. Curtis Courtney and friend Miss Pauline Allen of San Antonio were recent visitors in the Melvin Courtney home.

Visiting in the Mrs. Flora Mason home last week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Yarbrough, Mrs. Leta Hughes, and Mrs. K. E. Mason, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mason and daughter Marilyn of Comanche, Texas; Mrs. Lizzie Currie, who has spent the last few weeks in the Mason home has returned to Dallas.

Mrs. Raymond Tanner of Dumas has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jackson.

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West Texas is on the boom. Hundreds of dollars are coming into most every town and community and King Cotton is the cause of it all. Cotton and seed are bringing around a hundred dollars per bale and there are a lot of folks who after gathering this cotton crop, will realize more out of this crop than in former years. If there is any thing that makes a fellow want to continue to live in West Texas, it's a big cotton crop at a good price, and along with a good price for cattle and hogs, who would want to live in a better place?

Reports from Berlin state that Russia is about to be crushed. Well, we have always heard that preaching is never over till they sing, so why cry over spilled milk? Frankly, we do not believe England is doing her part and most every body in these parts wonder why the British do not attack Germany through France. Some of these days people are going to get tired of fighting England's wars and when that happens, the people of the British empire are going to wake up in the predicament that France is in.

A DARDEN-O-GRAM.



A special program was given at the Dovie church Sunday morning. Three members of the missionary band from Abilene put on a very interesting program. Every one enjoyed it, and we wish to welcome them back in the near future.

The League had an interesting program Sunday night. Those who had parts were Virginia Cooley, Vada Taylor and Elvin Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ivey made a trip to Fort Sam Houston Oct. 14th. They visited their son, Chester and grandson Milton Vandendorf. They all enjoyed fried chicken and cake. Mr. and Mrs. Ivey returned home Oct. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bagley spent Saturday night with her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Renfro and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley Sunday. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Renfro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cooley and girls visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley Sunday.

Miss Opal Parker returned home Friday night from Abilene where she has been visiting her mother. She was also called to the bedside of her step-father, who has been very low for sometime. She is glad to say that he is improving, but slowly.

Miss Opal Parker spent the week end of Oct. 4 in Tahoka visiting friends. She returned home Oct. 5.

Miss Virginia Lee Cooley visited Opal Parker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ivey visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bessire Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Bessire who has lived around Dowie for many years, but has lived in Brownwood for sometime, is back visiting. We are glad to see Ernest back in the community.

Miss Vada Taylor who has been working near Amarillo for the past 2 months, returned home last Tuesday. We are glad to have Vada back in our League. She surely has been missed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Holden and their daughter, Mrs. Claude Bessire and children visited relatives in Seymour Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Cooley and Mrs. Gerald Renfro visited Mrs. C. C. Renfro Tuesday evening.

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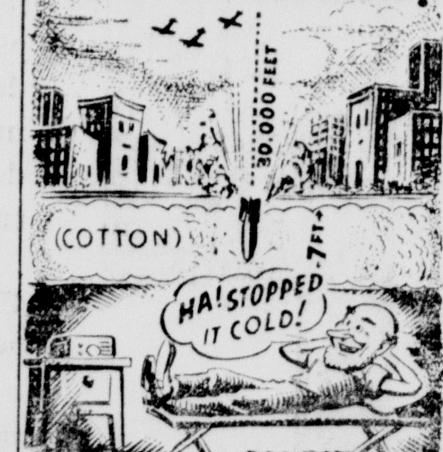
male for service at my place one mile north Abbie Church.

JOE BONDS (51P)

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grayson and daughter Dorothy Gwendolyn, of Wichita Falls, came Tuesday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis of Flat Top community.

COTTON QUIZ

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		25¢
		35¢